

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY ANKARA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8795

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DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS EXIM

E.O. 11652: NA

TAGS: EFIN, TU

SUBJECT: EXIMBANK PC 3802A FOR GM LOCOMOTIVES

REF: STATE 213404

1. EMBASSY BELIEVES GOT SHOULD BE NOTIFIED PROMPTLY OF EXIM ACTION TO DEFER SUBJECT PC AND BY MEANS OF STRAIGHT-FORWARD BUT CAREFULLY DRAFTED LETTER (PREFERABLY NOT TELEX) TO AYGUN, TO WHOM PREVIOUS EXIM COMMUNICATIONS ON THIS CASE HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED. LETTER SHOULD STRESS FACT THAT DECISION MADE ON PURELY COMMERCIAL GROUNDS AND SHOULD INCLUDE SPECIFIC SUMMARY LISTING OF ARREARAGES AND DELINQUENCIES, IF FEASIBLE, MENTIONED IN REFTEL. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE HAVING INFO COPY, AND WE ASSUME COPY WOULD ALSO BE MADE AVAILABLE TO TURKISH EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.

2. OUR CHIEF CONCERN IN MAKING THIS RECOMMENDATION IS THAT SPECIAL PAINS BE TAKEN TO AVOID PROVIDING SUPPORT TO WIDESPREAD OPINION IN TURKISH OFFICIAL, AND APPARENTLY EVEN PRIVATE BUSINESS, CIRCLES THAT US IS

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APPLYING ECONOMIC PRESSURE ON TURKS FOR POLITICAL ENDS.

IT IS FOR THIS REASON THAT WE SUGGEST LETTER BE AS

UNAMBIGUOUS AS POSSIBLE AS TO BASIS FOR EXIM DECISION.

3. WE ALSO HAVE RESERVATIONS AS TO CONTRIBUTION THIS WILL MAKE TO CLEARING UP ARREARAGES AND DELINQUENCIES. TURKS, THOUGH PERHAPS RELUCTANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE FACT TO US, KNOW

DAMAGE THESE CASES ARE CAUSING AND, WE BELIEVE, MAY RESENT  
REMINDERS OF THEIR PRESENT FOREIGN EXCHANGE SHORTAGE, WHICH IS NOT  
DISCRETIONARY. WE NEVERTHELESS AGREE THAT EXIM SHOULD MAKE ITS  
POINT FOR THE RECORD.

4. CONCERNING REFERENCE IN PARA 5 REFTEL TO NEED FOR  
GOT TO APPRAOCH IMF, FUND TEAM ARRIVED IN TURKEY  
SEPTEMBER 6 AT TURKISH INVITATION AND IS CURRENTLY ENGAGED IN WHAT WE  
UNDERSTAND IS SERIES OF FACT-FINDING MEETINGS WITHIN TURKISH GOV-  
ERNMENT AS A PRELIMINARY TO DISCUSSIONS REGARDING  
CONDITIONS FOR BOP ASSISTANCE TO TURKEY EXPECTED TO TAKE PLACE  
IN WASHINGTON IN CONNECTION WITH IMF/IBRD MEETINGS THIS MONTH  
AND IN ANKARA WHEN A SECOND IMF TEAM ARRIVES IN EARLY OCTOBER.  
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